



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**  
**The Assistant Secretary for Communications**  
**and Information**  
Washington, D.C. 20230

DEC 27 2005

The Honorable Kevin J. Martin  
Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Martin:

Pursuant to the Commercial Spectrum Enhancement Act (CSEA), the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) is notifying the Federal Communications Commission there are no costs associated with relocating federal operations from the 1432-1435 MHz band. The NTIA provides this information in advance of an auction to be held as early as June 2006. This information is also being provided to the Committees on Appropriations and on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives, and to the Committees on Appropriations and on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of the Senate, and the Comptroller General as required by the CSEA.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Fredrick Wentland, NTIA's Associate Administrator of the Office of Spectrum Management, at 202-482-1850.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael D. Gallagher".

Michael D. Gallagher